

**COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 10-08**

**A BILL ENTITLED**

AN ACT concerning the Repeal and Re-adoption with Amendments of the Queen Anne's County Stormwater Management Ordinance, Subtitle 4 of Chapter 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Queen Anne's County (1996).

FOR THE PURPOSE of revising and updating the Queen Anne's County Stormwater Management Ordinance, defining certain terms, requiring stormwater measures prior to certain development activities, providing exemptions, establishing criteria and minimum requirements for stormwater management, providing for permits and/or bonds, inspection and maintenance of stormwater management facilities, providing for appeals and penalties for violations.

**SECTION I**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY that Subtitle 4 of Chapter 14 of Code of Public Local Laws of Queen Anne's County (1996 Ed) be and is hereby repealed and that a new Subtitle 4 of Chapter 14 be enacted to read as set forth on the attached.

**SECTION II**

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED THAT if any portion this ORDINANCE is held invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance. It is the intent of the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County that this Ordinance shall stand, even if a section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion may be found invalid.

**SECTION III**

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED THAT THIS ORDINANCE is declared to be an emergency bill affecting the public health, safety and welfare of Queen Anne's County and shall take effect from the date of its passage.

INTRODUCED BY: Commissioner Fordonski

CO-SPONSORED BY: Commissioner Ransom

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: June 8, 2010

PUBLIC HEARING HELD: June 22, 2010 @ 6:55 p.m.

VOTE: 5 Yea 0 Nay

DATE OF ADOPTION: June 22, 2010

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 22, 2010